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Applicant: Richard D. Cornelius et al.**Serial No.:** 09/470,039**Filing Date:** December 22, 1999**Title:** INITIATING AN AGREEMENT IN AN E-COMMERCE ENVIRONMENT**Docket #:** 60021-339201**Group Art Unit:** 3627**Examiner:** B. Jaketic

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**PETITION FOR THREE MONTH EXTENSION
OF TIME (37 C.F.R. 1.136(A))**

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Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully requests a three month extension of time to respond to the Final Office Action dated March 24, 2003 and the Advisory Action mailed July 18, 2003. The original time for response was set to expire June 24, 2003.

Should any additional fees be necessary, the Assistant Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge or credit any such fees or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1901 (Reference #60021-339201).

Respectfully submitted,

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